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#### EXPLANATION BY CHINESE. Cause of the Recent Massacre of American Missionaries.

The Chinese legation in this city has the question. It appears from these reports movement, as first was supposed by the consul general of the United States at Canton. The underlying cause of the trouble, according to the Chinese version, was a quarrel of long standing between Dr. Machle of the Presbyterian mission and the Catholic missions. This had causbreak occurred as stated first, when on a slight provocation Dr. Machle seized three consecrated cannons from a stage built by the Chinese partly on missionary terri-tory to celebrate a Chinese religious fes-tival. The Chinese government, accordtival. The Chinese government, according to the communications received, has

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## excitement was the tactless way in which

Deepening Water at Navy Yard Dock. The mud-digging machine belonging to Dean & Reagan, which has been chartered naval ordnance foundry, used by the inwhich the newly built guns are taken to the proving grounds and cars laden with supplies are taken to the smokeless powder factory at Indian Head. The wash of the tides in the Anacostia river are said to cause an eddy at the navy yard, and the docks there, though frequently dredged. soon fill again and give trouble. It is stated that a large quantity of material will be taken from these docks this time so that they will remain deep enough for the use of the tugs and barges for several tival. The Chinese government, according to the communications received, has taken all steps necessary to punish the leaders in the outbreak, though holding that the chief cause of all the unnecessary

LARGE CROWD AT CONVENTION EMPEROR WILL NOT SIGN THE HALL FOOD SHOW.

More than 12,000 persons, probably the largest number that has ever been inside of Convention Hall in this city at one time, were present yesterday afternoon and evening at the food show of the Washington Retail Grocers' Association. Thousands of electric lights gleamed last night, more attractive. The police handled the immense crowds well and prevented serious crowding at the entrance during the rush hour. Lieutenant Sullivan being in charge in person.

The baby show in the afternoon served to increase the afternoon crowd. Not all of the mothers, numbering 325 or over, who applied for the admission of their bables to the show were enabled to go away with a prize; but there was a great interest in the contest. Out of the large number of applicants Burton C. Many of the Borden Condensed Milk Company, under whose superintendence the baby show was given, selected ten of the little ones to be placed on exhibition for one hour and a half. All present voted on "the handsomest" one, and the result of that vote determined the prize giving.

#### Prizes Awarded.

At the close of the contest the following

First prize-To Ferda B., eight months old, daughter of Mrs. Flora Oppenheimer of 612 O street northwest; the prize was a silver cup presented by the Borden Condensed Milk Company and a chair given by Jackson Brothers. Second prize—To Bessie, ten months old.

daughter of Mrs. S. H. Shean of 25 H street northwest; the prize was a silver Third prize—To Adrienne Marie, eight months old, daughter of Mrs. H. L. Barker of 1434 S street northwest; the prize was

a silver cup.

Mr. B. S. Graves won the prize given by the Chapin-Sachs Manufacturing Company for the gentleman bringing the greatest number of ladies to the ice cream parlor.

It will be noticed that the baby girls proved the favorites with the audience, although the boys received a great many votes. It was announced by Mr. Many that another baby show will be held next Thursday afternoon at the food show and that the prizes will be bank accounts in the People's Savings Bank. The success of the show yesterday led to the decision to hold another before the food show closed.

As is the custom, each of the first 500 ladies to attend the show yesterday were given coupons which entitled them to one-half pound of butter and a package of Egg-O-See. It is announced that today each of the first 500 ladies to enter the hall will receive three full-size cakes of Lipps' soap and one bottle of Scotch hop ale.

#### Cooking School.

of 1718 Q street northwest is proving to named as executors. Mrs. Walter S. Marbe one of the most popular. The school, tin, a friend, living in San Francisco, is which has about fifty-five on its rolls, after left \$50,000. Jewels and trinkets are disarts, maintaining that the pure foods are all right, but that they may be entirely spotled by bad cooking. The students are taught how to prepare food for both simple and elaborate dinners by demonstration and practice. On account of its affiliation with Washington and Fairmont seminaries, Laise-Phillips School, Chevy Chase College, Bristol School and the Martha Washington Seminary the students of the Cooking School are taking a special interest in the exhibit.

ing was that of the Columbia Ice Company, which was a huge bouquet of American beauty roses frozen in a large cate The Chris. Lipps Company of Baltimore

has a popular booth, and is giving away many samples of a variety of soaps—the premium soap or blue laundry soap, the "White Flyer," a floating soap, and the naptha soap with borax.

Large crowds watched the moving pic

tures last evening, given under the super-vision of W. H. Gunby of the American Biograph Company of New York, illustrat-ing the process of making bread from start to finish. "Style is not fashion. Style is how one carries fashion," said Mme. Wade yester-

day in her lecture before an audience of ladies held in connection with the food show at Convention Hall. Then she proceeded to demonstrate how various figures should be dressed to look well and how deficiencies are made up to make the woman look becoming.

### Among the Pleasure Craft.

The owners of the power sloop Two on a gasoline-power engine for her mofive gan's boatyard yesterday to lay up for the winter, and while laid up the changes in the boat will be made. Her mast has been removed and the centerboard well will be taken out. A new and larger engine will be giving sleeping accommodation to more peo-The changes in the vessel will be completed long before she is ready to return to service in the early spring. When com-pleted the Two Friends will be a handsome

lying at Reagan's being prepared for service next season, and is being converted from a schooner-rigged craft into one with sloop rig and auxiliary power.

The sailing yacht Mabel, belonging to Capt. Thomas Todd of the United States army quartermaster's steamer, has been hauled out at Fort Washington and has gone out of service for the winter. Capt. Todd states that he will equip the Mabel with a gasoline-power engine during the winter and will have her ready for service in the early part of the coming spring.

The mast taken from the Two Friends

The little power launch Dentler, belonging to Mr. C. S. Dentler of this city, and the launch Dauntless were hauled out on the new marine rallway at Bennett's boatyard yesterday to be laid up for the win-ter. Before the next boating season the Dentler is to be lengthened ten feet and will be made one of the largest launches in service on the river.

### Cortelyou Eulogized Franklin.

More than 600 members and guests of the Pennsylvania Society of New York attended a dinner in New York city last night, when one of the principal addresses was delivered by Postmaster General Cortelyou. Benjamin Franklin, the 200th annul-January 17 next, was the theme of the evening, Mr. Cortelyou speaking of "Franklin, the Postmaster General." Gen. "Franklin, the Postmaster General." Gen. Horace Porter spoke of "Franklin, the Diplomat;" Frederick P. Fish of Boston, "Franklin, the Scientist," and Prof. Albert H. Smyth of Philadelphia, "Franklin, the Man of Letters.'

### Woman to Die on Scaffold.

Antoinette Tolla, the Italian woman who shot the man who tried to win her from her husband last March, was sentenced yesterday at Hackensack, N. J., to be hanged January 12 next. Mrs. Tolla, who has two children, was in her home at Kingsland, when Joseph Sonta came there, making love to her, and she shot him five hanged January 12 next. Mrs. Tolla, who has two children, was in her home at Kingsland, when Joseph Sonta came there, making love to her, and she shot him five times with a revolver. Jerry Rossa, another Italian, was sentenced to death by hanging on the same day as Mrs. Tolla. Rossa killed Demetrio Dinofrio at Lodi in February, 1904.

## THOUSANDS ATTEND PROTEST FROM KOREA

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AGREEMENT WITH JAPAN.

Mr. H. B. Hulbert, the special messenger from the Emperor of Korea, is in receipt of a cablegram from Korea, in which the emperor declares that the agreement between Korea and Japan is null and void declares that he will never sign that agreement in its present form, and that the disturbances which attended the "outrage" of November 17 are likely to occur again. Concerning the cablegram from the Emperor of Korea, Mr. Hulbert said:

"This is the first genuine word that has been received from Korea giving the real attitude of that government toward the treacherous act of the Japanese. For several weeks the emperor was practically in confinement, and Japan gave out the false statement that an amicable agreement had been made. This is now proven to be untrue. The agreement was made under duress and at the point of the sword, but the emperor has at last succeeded in piercing the cordon of Japanese and getting information to the outer world.

"As long as my mission to America is no longer a secret, I may add that the emperor, anticipating some such act of bad faith on the part of Japan, tried, through me, to forestall it by lodging an appeal with President Roosevelt. The object of my coming was surmised and the coup in Seoul was hastened, so that it occurred on the very day of my arrival in Washington. The emperor felt certain that if President Roosevelt could be made aware of his sentiments the American government would hesitate and ask a few questions before accepting Japan's statements alone. The authorities in Washington were almost immediately notified that this petition was here, but no arrangements were made for its re-ception until after Japan's statement was accepted and acted upon.
"The object of this cablegram is to dis

avow any acquiescence in the so-called agreement and incidentally to call attention to that clause of the treaty between America and Korea in which the United States definitely promises to use its good offices in case Korea is oppressed or wronged. The United States was in full treaty relations with Korea up to the time when, upon the representations of Japan alone and apparently without consulting Korea, this government took the lead in cutting off direct diplomatic relations with Korea."

#### MRS. HARRISON'S WILL. Victim of Auto Accident Left a For-

tune to Husband.

The will of Mrs. Francis Burton Harrison, who was killed in an automobile accident on Long Island November 25, was filed for probate in New York yesterday. The booth of the National Cooking School Mr. Harrison and Henry G. Scott are tate are to be divided equally between the two children of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison, Virginia and Barbara. The remainder goes to Mr. Harrison absolutely. The value of the estate is believed to amount to more than \$1,000,000, consisting chiefly of the fortune left to Mrs. Harrison by her father, the late Charles F. Croeker of San Fran

### Election Officers Sentenced.

Thomas H. Hartman, ir., William Reagan and Charles Judge, election officers in the welfth precinct of the fourteenth ward. Philadelphia, were fined \$500 and sentenced to two years' imprisonment in that city yesterday. They were convicted of padding the assessors' lists and conspiracy to make fraudulent returns of the election held last February. Benjamin Williams, another officer of the same precinct, was fined \$250 and sentenced to one year in

### Project Indorsed by King Victor.

Victor Emmanuel at Rome yesterday re celved in private audience Dr. Joseph Spencer Kennard of New York (formerly of Philadelphia). His majesty and Dr. Kennard discussed the project to encourage American students to study in Italian universities, and for the exchange of professors between Italy and the United States. The king expressed his deep interest in the movement and said he hoped for its success. The project was enthusiastically supported by Baron Mayor des Planches, Italian ambassador at Washing-ton, who accompanied Dr. Kennard.

### Monument to Gonzales Unveiled.

Almost within a stone's throw of when be fell mortally wounded January 15, 1904, within the shadow of South Carolina's captol, and on the widest thoroughfare of Co lumbia, which he loved so well, a beautiful monument was unveiled yesterday to the memory of N. G. Gonzales, editor of the State, who, nearly three years ago, was shot by Lieut. Gov. Tillman. The monument is a granite shaft, twenty-five feet high, resting upon a base twenty feet square, giving it a total height of forty feet. The monument is erected by the people of South Carolina, subscriptions for its construction having been made from every county in the state.

#### Looking Into Canal Expenses. Representative John Wesley Gaines of l'ennessee spent several hours of his time today in the House document room, surrounded by stacks of books and pamph-

lets, bound and unbound, in search of material for his forthcoming oratorical effort on Panama canal expenditures. The documents that attracted his attention were those containing detailed accounts of expenditures in the White House.
"If the President of the United States," said Mr. Gaines today, "has to make an entry in the public records every time he buys a frying pan or a cake of laundry soap it seems to me that the Panama canal expenditures ought to be itemized."

And Mr. Gaines, carelessly disentangling a cobweb from his silver locks, resumed his documentary digging.

### Open Shop Causes Riot in Ohio.

was pulled out or destroyed, as was the case also of the Dobos block.

Because the master plumbers declared for an open shop at Lorain, Ohio, three day night and a carpenter who indorsed the action of the employing plumbers was murderously assaulted. The journeymen plumbers made demands that the employers insisted they could not meet, and they retaliated by declaring for an open shop, from the burning house This action was followed by the razing of the Steve Majesse block, which was nearly completed. The building is three stories high, and the braces on all three floors were loosened, a rope was attached to the building, and it was pulled down. In the John Rosenfeld block the plumbing

### Wall mirrors will be purchased for the

First M. E. Church of Albion, Mich., to enable women of the congregation to get their hats, on straight after service. The pastor has been requesting the women to remove their hats Sunday after Sunday, but the sisters have responded that they couldn't get them on straight without mirrors, and they just wouldn't go upon the streets with their hats on crooked. The Rev. Dr. F. E. Day has called their bluff by announcing that big mirrors would be put up in the church at once.

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RUSSIAN ATROCITIES. Barbaric Massacre of Entire Jewish Family. Letters containing graphic details of the

massacres of forty Jewish families at Nosefka, Russia, reached Isaac J. Robinson of Chicago yesterday, and by them he was informed of the murder of his eldest sister Anne and all the members of her family, and the hardships undergone by another sister, who, at the time of writing the letter, was hiding in a cellar with the members of her family. The letter says, in

"One day a mob gathered around the house of sister Anne. She was a sickly woman, but that made no difference to the mob. She was killed and then her son, nineteen years old. They cut his body into loces after they killed him, and they chopped her body in the same manner. And then another son of seventeen years, a daughter of fifteen and a daughter of twelve were treated in the same manner. "In the meantime the brother-in-law,

Mayer, ran away with the eldest daughter, twenty-one years old, to save their lives. He was pursued and slashed and cut. They were stripped before the great mob, and in the presence of thousands of people were cut in small pieces, and the pieces brough back to the house they had escaped from. "After that the mob went next door and took the man, woman and five children out in the street. They took their eyes out while they were alive and then threw the blind people back into the house, and they were burned alive. Out of the forty families in this town very few persons were

### On the River Front.

The launch Edward, belonging to the fleet of A. J. Taylor & Bro., tugboat owners, left here yesterday morning for Piscataway Taylor, and hooking on to a big raft of river to Little Hunting creek, where the piles will be used in the construction of a new bridge on the line of the Washington. Alexandria and Mt. Vernon railroad to Mt. Vernon. The use of the launch for this work has been made necessary by the chartering of the tug D. M. Key for mud

Arrived: Schooners Urlah Horner and R. Mason with cord wood from river points; schooner Twilight, laden with oysters from

river point. Sailed: Sloop Belvidere, for lower river to load oysters; Earl Biscoe for river point to load cord wood for this city; tank barges 52 and 77, for Baltimore to load oil, in tow of tug Radiant; schooner Eva Clarence, for Potomac oyster beds to load for this mar-ket; schooners Amanda Lewis, Bessie Reed, Fair American, and Bessle Ford, for Po-tomac oyster beds to load for this city. Memoranda: Schooner Reba Sterling, loaded with lumber, sailed from Nomini for this city 8th instant; the schooner Samuel Wood has been chartered to load lumber at Norfolk, and the schooner A. H. Quin-by, lumber, on the Rappahannock river for this city. Schooner Grace Bennett is un-der charter to load lumber at a North Car-

olina port for this city.

The steam barge E. James Tull has been hauled out on the marine railway at the Alexandria shipyard to have some repair work done to her hull and to have the metal on it put in good order in preparation for service in ice on the river during the coming winter. It is also stated that a heavy wheel will also be placed on the Tull before she is launched from the railway and returns to service.

The power launch Stella, which went

down the river about ten days ago with a hunting party aboard, has returned home. Messrs. Ned Nicholson, William Freeman and James Martin, who were aboard the Stella on the trip, had a good time and brought home considerable game, Sergt. Russell Dean, of the harbor detail, who has been on a leave of absence, has returned to duty and took the Vigi-lant out on her trip around the harbor yesterday afternoon

#### Six Children Perished in Fire. Six children were burned to death a

Lindsey, near Punxsutawney, Pa., and William Morgan and wife, the parents, with their two remaining children, barely escaped with their lives. The names of the dead children are: Thomas, aged eleven; Pearl, aged six: Grace and Ethel, aged three; Rachel, aged eighteen months, and an infant, aged three months. Both the father and mother were badly burned in attempts to save their little ones

### Church to Provide Mirrors.

The best property in the Chevy Chase section. Choice lots for sale. JOHN A. MASSIE. with the McLachlen Real Estate and Loan Co.,

#### Improvements at Army Dock. The work of dredging the dock at the foot

de3-tf Corner 10th and G Sts.

of K street southwest to a depth of twelve eet at low water has been completed by Miller's dredging machine, and the dock was used this morning as a berth by the United States army tug Lieut. Alonzo Cushing, running on the route between this city and Fort Washington and Fort Hunt. When this dock was leased by the government for the use of the Fort Washington tug it was dredged to a depth of ten feet at low water, two feet deeper than the draft of the tug. This depth was thought to be ample for the vessel, but the recent low tides have left the Cushing lying on the bottom several times, but she has always been able to get out of the dock to make her trips. It was deemed wise, however, to make the dock deeper, and the dredging machine was put to work to take out two additional feet ing the Cushing plenty of water at all stages of the tide.

The plans for the new warehouse which

is to be erected on the K street wharf by the quartermaster's department, for use of the boat running to the forts on the Potomac, are now, it is stated, in the hands of the District building inspector for his approval, and as soon as they are approved The new warehouse will be a building 75 feet long by 25 feet wide, and will be built of galvanized iron with metal roof, so as to be fireproof. The new warehouse will be used to shelter government stores and other shipments going to and from Fort Washington and Fort Hunt, and will be one

#### To Command the Kearsarge. Capt. H. Winslow has been relieved from

duty in command of the Charleston and ordered to take command of the battleship Kearsarke, as the relief of Capt. R. P. Rogers, who has been ordered to this city for special duty in the bureau of navigation, Navy Department,

#### Dorsey Mohun's Appointment. King Leopold, the sovereign of the

Congo Free State, has appointed R. Dorsey Mohun, formerly a resident of this city, as director of the Abir Congo Company one of the largest rubber collecting concerns in that country. This company was mentioned by name in the recent report of the Congo commission as having treated the natives with brutality. Mr. Mohun was formerly United States commercial agent at Loanda and later at Boma, the capital of the Congo state. In Central Africa he saw a large part of the war in which the black soldiers of the state, under their white officers, drove out the Arab slave raiders and put an end to slave catching in that domain. King Leopoid has appointed a new commission to carry out the reforms recommended by the bod whose report is now in his hands. The appointment of Mr. Mohun, who has good executive ability and is thoroughly familiar with African conditions, to a place of un-usual opportunity for the correction of past abuses is one of the first steps taken.

#### To Promote Militia's Efficiency. Serator Dick has introduced a bill ap propriating \$2,000,000 annually to increase

the efficiency of the militia and to promote rifle practice. Under this bill the money appropriated is to be divided among states, territories and the District of Columbia, to be expended for such arms, stores, quartermaster's supplies, etc., for promotion of the efficiency of the militia of the United States. The states are to receive proportions of this money in pro-portion to the number of senators and representatives they have in Congress, and the territories and the District of Columbia are to receive their portions by such regu-lations as the President may prescribe.

#### Tug Cameron Out of Service. The tug Marion Cameron, belonging to

the Potomac Dredging Company, and used to tow the sand barges of the company between the digging machines at work in Piscataway creek and other points on the river to this city, has been temporarily withdrawn from service, and is lying at Georgetown to have some minor repair work done and for cleaning the boiler and cverhauling of engine. The tug William H. Yerkes, Jr., has been chartered to tow H. Yerkes, Jr., has been chartered to tow in place of the Cameron while the latter steamer is laid up. It is expected that the Cameron will return to service within the Cameron will return the Cameron will return the Cameron will return the Cameron will return the Cameron will retu

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